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PRICE 2 CTS.

Strong Again.

The woman who knows the full value of health is the woman who has lost it and regained it; the woman who from weakness and sickness is once again strong and healthy. Half a million women have been made strong and healthy by the aid of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. It regulates the menstrual periods, cures the various ailments of the female system, and restores the system to its normal state. It is a healthy and refreshing medicine.

CATARRH Nasal Catarrh.

In all its stages it should be cleansed. ELY'S CREAM BALM cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head. ELY'S CREAM BALM is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying, does not produce sneezing, itching, or any other disagreeable effects. It is the only remedy for catarrh of the nose. Trial size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Many persons have had the experience of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratford, N.H., who says, "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigestion, but KODOL Dyspepsia Cure made a well man of me." It digests what you eat and is a certain cure for dyspepsia and every form of stomach trouble. It gives relief at once even in the worst cases, and can't help but do you good.

For Over Fifty Years. AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

ARNOLD'S BROMO-COLERY. Try this unrivaled remedy for Headaches, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, 10 cents.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

HUSTLING YOUNG MAN can make \$80 per month and expenses. Permanent position. Experience unnecessary. Write for particulars. CLARK & CO., 4th and Locust sts., Philadelphia, Pa. aug17 6m&1w

BUILDING MATERIAL.

SMOOTH & CO., (Successors to J. Reister Smoot & Co.)

Steam Flooring and Planing Mill.

Manufacturers of DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOULDINGS, &c.

DEALERS IN LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHES, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER AND CEMENT. No. 35 North Union Street, Alexandria, Va. Deliveries made free in the city. [ESTABLISHED 1822.]

Henry K. Field & Co.,

Successors to JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT.

Lumber and Mill Work

OF ALL KINDS. "Ice and Yard 115 N. Union Street. Factory No. 113 N. Lee Street.

Material Delivered FREE in the city.

JNO. P. ROBINSON. GEO. S. FRENCH President. Secretary.

Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and Blue Windsor Ground Plaster, PRINCES STREET, BETWEEN UNION AND LEE.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LIBBY'S HOME-MADE PLUMB PUD- ING, 10c per lb. can, at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

CHOICE EVAPORATED APPLES, in 1 lb. cartons, only 8c, at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

PURE VIRGINIA SWEET CIDER, 15c per gallon, at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

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WESTERN STATE HOSPITAL.

Dr. B. J. Min Blackford, superintendent of the Western State Hospital, has submitted his report for the fiscal year ending September 20, 1900, which is a very full and comprehensive review of the work done by him and his associates. The hospital is the largest in the State, there being 954 patients within its walls. One hundred and ninety-eight were admitted during the year, and 89 were discharged, and 74 died. It is remarkable that the ages of those dying were often so advanced, 8 being between 80 and 90, 17 between 70 and 80, 11 between 60 and 70, and 11 between 50 and 60. Among the patients admitted within the last twelve months a large percent were hopelessly insane, and many others had age and infirmity coupled with insanity, which rendered cure almost impossible. The money used in support, transportation, etc., in round numbers amounted to \$112,500 exclusive of insurance, and there has been only available about \$105,000, leaving a deficit of about \$7,000.

The daily average of patients has been 937. Placing the resources for their support at \$111,000 shows a cost per capita of about \$118.10. This, says the superintendent, considering that the cost of many things has greatly advanced, to wit, the item of coal alone being over \$1.70 more than previously, is most satisfactory.

Again the superintendent calls attention to the necessity of making provision for epileptics. These, he says, are injured by their contact with the insane. The congested condition of the hospital is mentioned, and he urgently recommends that arrangements be made elsewhere for epileptics and persons of weak mind, and that only insane persons, those indeed for whom the clarity is really intended, be kept there. A new system of bathing the patient known as the "Chain Bath," is recommended. "The thorough system" is commended, and all through such reforms and suggestions as to the general conduct of the institution calculated to put and keep it in the rank of the most advanced institutions of the kind in the country are gratifying. The report should be very satisfactory to the people at large, as it shows most careful, intelligent and economical conduct throughout. [Staunton Spectator.]

GEN. JOE WHEELER'S GALLANTRY.

It was raining the other day. An angular woman wearing a mackintosh, sitting next to Gen. Joe Wheeler in a street car, in Washington, rose to get off at Fourteenth and F streets. Gen. Wheeler noticed an umbrella leaning against the car seat. He grabbed the umbrella, ran after the woman, caught her at the door and said: "Madame, here, madam, but you left your umbrella." The woman, Gen. Wheeler resumed his seat. Then a woman on the other side of him gave a little scream and said: "Way you nasty little man, you gave that woman my umbrella." Gen. Wheeler apologized, but the woman said: "Now you just get right off the car and get it for me, or I'll notify the police." Meekly the veteran of three wars tumbled off into the rain and ran after the woman with the mackintosh. He made a hurried explanation, got the umbrella and rushed back to the waiting car. As he handed it back to its owner he said: "I trust you will pardon me, madam. I assure you it was all a mistake." The woman glared at him. "I don't know about that," she snarled. "I don't believe you are any better than you ought to be."

Used by British Soldiers in Africa.

Cap. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Ghalibe. Under date of Nov. 4, 1897, from Vryburg, Bechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by all druggists.

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommends Ely's Cream Balm to me, recommending his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed." [Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Presbyterian Church, H. L. Mont.]

After using Ely's Cream Balm six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. [Joseph Stewart, Grand Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.]

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

Now is the time when crop and lung trouble prove rapidly fatal. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results is One Minute Cough Cure. It is very pleasant to take and can be relied upon to quickly cure coughs, colds and all lung diseases. It will prevent consumption.

COFFEES have advanced, but we are still selling them at old prices. J. C. MILBURN

FRUIT JARS.—Porcelain Lined Fruit Jars, extra quality, 50c, quart 60c, 60 gallons extra duty, at J. C. MILBURN.

LAEGE CALIFORNIA PRUNES, 5c per pound, at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

RICE—Choice Fresh Carolina Rice, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS

The only safe, sure and reliable Female Pill ever offered to Ladies. Especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS

and take no other. SEND FOR CIRCULAR. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale by Richard Gibson, corner of King and Alfred streets.

DRY GOODS.

LEICHBURG & SON'S

Bargains That Have No Precedent

—FOR—

Christmas Presents.

Skirts, 50c to \$2.69

Aprons, 25c.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5, 7, 10, 12, 25c, etc.

Fascinators 25 and 50c

Ladies' and Children's Macintoshes at reduced prices.

Cashmere Silk Gloves, 25c.

Ladies' Kid and Castor Gloves, all prices.

All the latest novelties in Ladies' Neckwear.

Pillow Shams, Scarfs in Lace and applique.

Lot of Fine Towels to go at 10, 12, 15, 20 and 25c

Comforts and Blankets from 50c to \$10.

Ladies' Coats, in tan and black, \$5.

Golf Capes, \$4 to \$10.

Ladies' Tailor made Suits \$5 to \$12.

Ladies' Dress and Rainy-day Skirts, all styles and prices.

Ladies' and Children's Furs.

Misses' Coats \$2 to \$5.

French Flannel for waists, 29 to 60c.

Velvets, 50c to \$1.

Boys' Toboggan Caps, 25c.

Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, 98c to \$5.

Lace Curtains, 50c to \$5 a pair.

Gents' Dept.

Kid Gloves, \$1.

Castor Gloves, \$1.

Lot of Men's and Boys' Gloves at 25c

Ties, Bows Scarfs, Four-in-Hand, in the newest designs, 25 cents.

Gents' Handkerchiefs, 5, 10, 15, and 25c, full line.

Best Brand Collars, 10 and 12 cents.

A lot of Night Shirts, 50c.

Every department contains bargains in profusion.

LEICHBURG & SON'S

HAVE YOU BEEN

—TO—

Ruben's

To see the large stock of useful

Xmas Presents?

A large assortment of MORRIS CHAIRS from \$3.99 to \$25

Hand some BATTIN ROCKERS for the children.

A fine assortment of COMBINATION BOOK CASES, PICTURE, LAMP, DESK, &c., &c.

We frame pictures.

M. Ruben & Sons,

601 KING STREET

CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 13, 1900.

To the Holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds.

The following bonds, drawn for redemption, by lot in accordance with the terms of the mortgage, will be paid at the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with acceptance Company, on January 1, 1901. Interest accrued interest on said bonds January 1, 1901: Nos. 5, 169, 80, 134, 85, 241 and 244, of \$1,000 each.

Nos. 363, 359, 643, 559, 578, 349, 495, 325, 445, 499, 261, 607, 635, 419, 439, 675 and 677, of \$500 each.

JOHN W. BURKE, EDW. L. DAINGERFIELD, Trustees.

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CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 7, 1900.

The annual meeting of stockholders of this bank for the ELECTION OF DIRECTORS will be held at its Banking House on TUESDAY, January 8, 1901, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

dec7 2w WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier.

LARGE CANS TABLE PEACHES for

15c, at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

See HERRING and SHAD ROE for sale

by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

SWAN BROS.,

424-426 KING STREET.

ONE PRICE.

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

We are well equipped for the holiday rush with a choice assortment of useful Xmas presents. We are showing new Pocketbooks, new Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, plain and with initials, new Chenille Table Covers, new Table Dinner Napkins, new Linen Table Cloths, white and colored, Colored Linen Table Sets, Pure Ice Wool Shawls, New Neckwear, Fascinators, Fans, Fancy Mirrors, Fancy Hat Pins, Fancy Brooch Pins, Ladies' and Misses' Bracelets, Fancy Garters, Umbrellas and hundreds of other useful Christmas gifts.

French Flannels.

We have All-wool French Flannels for waists, 25c in beautiful shades of red, blue, pink, cream, green, all rose, 50c light and dark blue. The year.....

Flannel Waists.

We have received a very pretty new line of All-wool Flannel Waists, trimmed very prettily with fine quality of broad, red, blue and black \$1.98 Each.....

Pocket Books.

We are now showing a very large assortment of new Leather Pocket Books of all kinds and prices. These are of splendid quality.

15, 25, 50, 75c & \$1.

Side Satchels.

A good Leather Side Satchel makes a very useful gift. We have a new line and they are very low in price for first-class quality goods.

25, 50c, \$1 & \$1.98.

Night Robes.

Ladies' and Men's Flannel Night Robes, well made, neat.

Very warm and comfortable. Each.....

50 and 98c

Window Shades.

We sell great quantities of Window Shades because we sell them so reasonable. They are full size, well made, with good fixtures, most all the desirable colors.

Good Litter Shades, Each.....

25c

Good Felt Shades.....

10c

THE JANUARY DESIGNER, NOW READY, 10c.

THE JANUARY FASHION SHEETS FREE.

AGENTS FOR THE STANDARD PAT. TERN.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

M. B. HARLOW & CO.,

Real Estate and Renting Agents,

NO. 119 SOUTH FAIRFAX ST.

Offer the following properties:

FOR SALE.

208 s. Patrick, b. h. 9 rooms, b. th. 40x100 ft. to 20 ft. cor..... \$4,750

119 s. Royal, b. h. 8 rooms..... 2,100

1115 Prince, 2 story b. h. 9 rooms, a. m. 1, 20x100..... 2,800

1303 1/2 Prince, 3 story b. h. 9 rooms, a. m. 1, 20x100..... 1,900

312 s. St. Asaph, 10 rooms, a. m. c. 22x113, stable in rear..... 2,500

1205 King, 2 story b. h. 8 rooms, a. m. c. 1220 Prince, 2 story b. h. 7 rooms..... 1,800

317 Queen, 3 story b. h. 9 rooms..... 1,250

714 W. h. b. h. 6 rooms..... 1,600

422 n. West, b. h. 6 rooms, 18x190..... 1,900

1216 Prince, b. h. side lot..... 1,100

309 s. Washington, b. h. 7 rooms, 2 story, a. m. c..... 2,200

200 n. West, b. h. 20 ft. cor..... 1,200

609 s. Washington, b. h. 10 rooms, side lot..... 2,300

1016 Prince street, 3 s. ory brick 10 rooms, nice location for a home..... 2,000

224 s. Washington street, 3 story brick dwelling 10 rooms, bath, pantry, a. m. c. an elegant home..... 3,000

116 n. Alfred street, 2 story brick, splendidly located, large lot 44 135 ft. side alley..... 3,700

FOR RENT.

Store cor King and Columbia, fine business corner..... \$20 00

Store cor Pitt and Queen, fine business corner..... 10 00

Store and 7 rooms, cor..... 15 00

Store 1210 King..... 10 00

Store cor King and Union..... 20 00

Store and dwelling cor King and West, 24 and 34 floors 321 King, 5 rooms..... 15 00

222 n. Fairfax, b. h. 6 r. a. m. c..... 12 50

323 s. Pitt, b. h. 6 r. bath..... 10 00

313 s. Columbia, b. h. 6 r..... 9 50

312 s. St. Asaph, b. h. 19 r, bath..... 16 50

116 s. Lee, 9 rooms..... 7 50

317 Queen, 5 rooms..... 8 00

111 Prince, 8 rooms..... 10 00

321 s. St. Asaph, 6 rooms and bath, 16 50

D. HARRY APPICH,

525 King Street,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

CONFECTIONER AND FRUIT DEALER

At the seasons come and go; provident of all.

Plenty of fruits, and nuts, and sweets have at your call.

Candies, cakes throughout the year.

Appich's stock will make good cheer SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR THE COUNTRY TRADE.

FINE SALT-WATER OYSTERS

At C. F. ENTWISLE'S FANCY GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE,

No. 437 North Columbia Street, Bell Phone 129 nov13 1m.

DRY GOODS.

CHAMOIS GLOVES.

We have secured a small lot of Ladies' good quality white Chamois Gloves at about half the regular price. They are the regular \$1 kind. We will sell them at 50c per pair.

8 x 5 1/2, 6 1/2, 7 1/2 and 7 3/4.

Winter Underwear.

Our line of Winter Underwear for ladies, children and men, is too large in assortment to mention each item. We handle only the good and the best kind, at prices as low as can be found anywhere for reliable qualities.

Some Very Special Bargains.

One piece of good quality Paid Back Skirt, reduced from 50c to 25c

One lot of men's good white, colored, bordered and red Handkerchiefs 5c

Two for.....

One lot of men's heavy Canton Flannel Undershirts. Reduced from 39c to 50c to.....

One lot of men's Red Socks 39c

One lot of men's Heavy Under Shirts. Reduced from 50c to.....

One lot of Children's Black Hose 5c